

## 1.1 LiDAR Acquisition Parameters

Sanborn specifically defined the collection parameters to accomplish the desired Client specifications. These parameters are dependent on the LiDAR sensor and aircraft type used in the LiDAR campaign.

Table 1 and 2 shows the planned acquisition parameters for Sanborn's Leica ALS70 utilized for this specific LiDAR aerial survey operation that was installed in Sanborn's aircraft.

**Table 1: LiDAR Acquisition Parameters East Block**

|                           |                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>LiDAR Sensor</b>       | ALS70-HP                 |
| <b>Aircraft</b>           | Fixed Wing Single Engine |
| <b>Average Altitude</b>   | 1600 Meters AGL          |
| <b>Airspeed</b>           | ~130 Knots               |
| <b>Scan Frequency</b>     | 53.4 Hz                  |
| <b>Scan Angle</b>         | 20°                      |
| <b>Pulse Rate</b>         | 339200 Hz                |
| <b>Laser Power</b>        | 100%                     |
| <b>Pulse mode</b>         | Multi Pulse              |
| <b>NPS</b>                | 0.5                      |
| <b>PPM</b>                | 4                        |
| <b>Aircraft GNSS Rate</b> | 0.5 sec                  |

**Table 2: LiDAR Acquisition Parameters West Block**

|                           |                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>LiDAR Sensor</b>       | ALS70-HP                 |
| <b>Aircraft</b>           | Fixed Wing Single Engine |
| <b>Average Altitude</b>   | 1120 Meters AGL          |
| <b>Airspeed</b>           | ~130 Knots               |
| <b>Scan Frequency</b>     | 53.4 Hz                  |
| <b>Scan Angle</b>         | 20°                      |
| <b>Pulse Rate</b>         | 478600 Hz                |
| <b>Laser Power</b>        | 100%                     |
| <b>Pulse mode</b>         | Multi Pulse              |
| <b>NPS</b>                | 0.35                     |
| <b>PPM</b>                | 8                        |
| <b>Aircraft GNSS Rate</b> | 0.5 sec                  |

## **1.2 Planned Collection**

With the parameters defined above, the LiDAR flight plan was developed and encompasses a total of 142 flight lines for a total of 2932 linear miles. Note: the planned number of flight lines may not reflect actual number of lines delivered.

## **1.3 PDOP**

A few missions had short periods or spikes in PDOP over 4. They all however, continually had more than 6 satellites and a combined separation within tolerance.